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The Honorable Henry Hyde
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Mr. Hyde:

Enclosed is a short paper addressing the question you raised concerning the rights of non-Jews in Israel during my briefing of HPSCI on 30 September. The paper also includes an explanation of the legal status of the occupied territories. The key point in the paper is that non-Jews have full political rights in Israel proper and East Jerusalem--which was formally annexed in 1967--but they are not enfranchised in the other occupied territories--which Israel has not formally annexed. [redacted]

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As always, we stand ready to respond to any other questions you may have. [redacted]

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Sincerely,

John L. Helgerson
Associate Deputy Director for Intelligence

Enclosure

cc: Congressman Hamilton

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